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NEWS AROUND THE UNION

Lake Region pastors pray at GC2020 site; Community outreach aims to "Touch 10K"



On June 26, exactly one year from the opening of the General Conference Session (GC2020), Lake Region pastors



conducted a prayer walk around the Indianapolis Convention Center and at the Lucas Oil Stadium. The walk was led by Lake Region Adult Ministries director and Chicago pastor, Leon Bryant, with participants also joining online. READ MORE

Artist adds infant to mural of slain mother and unites city



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of 16th Street and Newberry
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neighborhood of Pilsen to paint
the image of the baby in the arms
of Jesus. READ MORE

Andrews University issues statement in support of Benton Harbor High School



Benton Harbor, Michigan, is a city thrust into the national spotlight because of a proposal by Michigan governor Gretchen Whitmer to close the district's one high school. Andrews University community has rallied to help find an alternative solution. The high school is located 12 miles from the university.

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Michigan Youth Department gears up to help Detroit residents



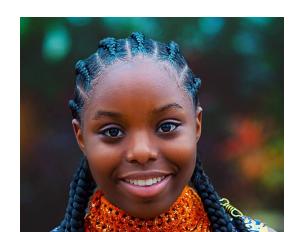
The Michigan Youth Department,
Ministerial Department and District
12 pastors are preparing to
mobilize across the City of Detroit
to provide assistance to
homeowners in need. This bold
endeavor, dubbed "Fieldwork," is
seen as an opportunity to build
lasting friendships with people in a
town. READ MORE

Adventist Education to feature prominently at International Camporee



Once upon a time Adventist
Christian education and Pathfinder
Club ministry shared a special
bond. The Pathfinder curriculum
was integrated into the classroom
and many of the students were
members of their local church club.
Over the years, the two ministries
diverged, but youth leaders and
educators are now working to
reverse this trend. READ MORE

"Made in His Image": Young girl discovers her worth in Jesus and makes award-winning film



Suicide was the second leading cause of death in ages 10-24 based on 2017 research from the NIHM. In other words, over 6,700 young people committed suicide in 2017. One young lady, at the age of ten, faced similar feelings but overcame through the love of her mother and understanding that



she was made in God's image.

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ADDITIONAL NEWS & INFORMATION

General Conference News

New book encourages joy and diversity for children; Adventist Christian Fellowship Institute equips students to "Be the Difference" on their campuses; Adventist Church in Costa Rica and Nicaragua commit to reaching former members; Adventist doctor pioneers possible cancer cure; Washington Adventist University's Enactus Team places third at national exposition; Adventist University will participate in Pan American Lima 2019; St. Maarten, members rededicate church building destroyed by Hurricane Irma; ADRA Chile aids tornado victims in the south-central area of the country; God overrides wishes of missionary parents. Read more at: https://news.adventist.org/en/all-news/.

North American Division News

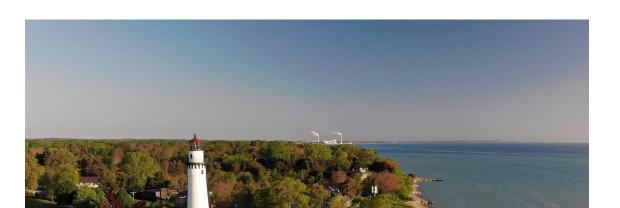
Northern California's Urban Camp Meeting Intentionally Engages with Community; Milbert Mariano Named Vice President for Academic Administration and Academic Dean of Pacific Union College; Loma Linda University Health diabetes prevention program merits CDC recognition; Christian Record Offers CREATION Life Resources to Members.

Read more at: https://www.nadadventist.org

Barna: Half of Practicing Christians Say History of Slavery Still Impacts the U.S.

In recent years, there has been contentious debate about the injustices that black Americans still experience in their daily lives. In light of this, Barna set out to explore issues related to the treatment of black Americans and other ethnic minorities in this new study on race and equality in America. <u>Click here to read more.</u>

PICTURE OF THE WEEK





EVENTS AND RESOURCES



We're only 47 days away from the world converging on the Lake Union's doorsteps for the International Pathfinder Camporee in Oshkosh, Wis.

Lake Union Youth director and Camporee founder, Ron Whitehead, released this video on what to expect on the campgrounds of this once-every-five-year, massive, evangelistic youth event.

WATCH VIDEO



Jesus and Politics: Christians, Liberty, and Justice Today

Andrews University, October 17-19

A scholarly conference and community gathering, featuring guest speakers with specialties in church history, theology and activism, seeking to translate biblical teachings to our day through careful study, thought, and dialogue.

For more information and to register, visit <u>here.</u> Public invited to attend Friday night vespers or events on Sabbath.



Save the date for a Union-wide Prayer Conference

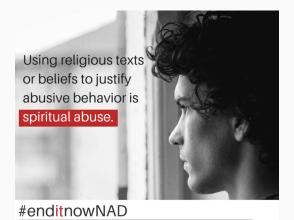
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Look for more details coming soon!



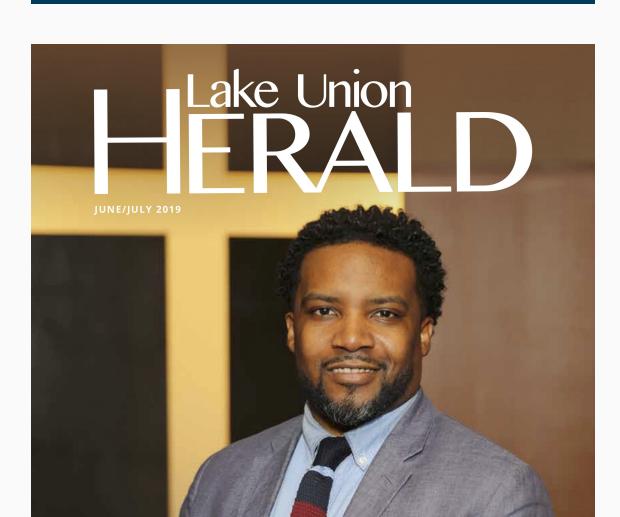
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Featured Video



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We're off for July 4th next week. ■ See you back July 11!

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